



## *Christ the King*

*November 20, 2022*

*8:30 am Worship*

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## PRELUDE

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the minister begins.*

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who redeems us in Christ Jesus, whose steadfast love endures forever. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence is kept for reflection*

Most merciful God, **we confess that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. We have ignored voices that call for your justice. We have neglected actions that witness to your righteousness. We have spoken and acted in ways that disrupt your beloved community. We truly repent of things we have done and left undone. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Restore our troubled spirits, so that we may live in newness, follow the way of the Spirit, and build up the body of Christ. Amen.**

Rejoice and be glad! God hears the prayers of all who cry out, and restores us to life through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Therefore, I declare to you the forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

**GATHERING SONG** “*Crown Him With Many Crowns*” #855  
(V.1, 3-4)

## THE GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

**KYRIE** p. 165

**HYMN OF PRAISE** “*This is the Feast*” p. 169

## PRAYER OF THE DAY:

**O God, our true life, to serve you is freedom, and to know you is unending joy. We worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory. Abide with us, reign in us, and make this world into a fit habitation for your divine majesty, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

Choir

**WORD OF GOD**

**First Reading**

Jeremiah 23:1-6

**Psalm**

Psalm 46

**Second Reading**

Colossians 1:11-20

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

*“Alleluia”*

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**GOSPEL**

Luke 23:33-43

**SERMON**

Pastor Karen Hofstad

**SERMON SONG**

*“Beautiful Savior”*

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**APOSTLES CREED**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried: he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen**

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

Lord, in your mercy, receive our prayer.

**SHARING OF THE PEACE**

**TITHES AND OFFERING**

**OFFERING PRAYER**

**GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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**HOLY, HOLY, HOLY**

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**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

**COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION:** All are welcome!

*Receive the wafer and choose the wine (light) or juice (dark).*

**COMMUNION SONG**      *“Lamb of God”*

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## **POST COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER**

### **BENEDICTION**

The God of peace, who creates all things and calls them good, who makes us alive in Jesus, and who breathes on us the Spirit of hope, ✠ bless you now and forever. **Amen**

**SENDING SONG**      *“Soon and Very Soon”*

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### **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Be a blessing in the world.  
**Thanks be to God.**

### **POSTLUDE**

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